

Blessed George Napier Catholic School and Sixth Form

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Dear Parent/Guardian

Year 7 Welcome Mass – Thursday 17 September 2026 at 6 pm

We would like to take this opportunity to invite yourselves and your family to celebrate the beginning of your child's secondary school education with us. This is a very special evening and we would encourage every family to attend. It is an excellent time to meet with staff, other parents and your child's new friends.

The Mass will be held in the Rachel Smith Hall at BGN. Please arrive at 5.45 pm in preparation for Mass to begin at 6 pm. The Mass will be followed by refreshments. We would kindly ask that all students wear their school uniform for the evening.

If you are travelling by car, evening access to the school is via the Springfield Avenue entrance and exit is via Addison Road only. There is car parking available on the school site. However, if you do park on the roads around the school, please be mindful of road signage and do not obstruct neighbours' driveways.

Please confirm how many of your family members will be in attendance on the evening by completing the link below by Monday 14 September 2026:-

[Year 7 Welcome Mass - Thursday 17th September 2026 – Fill in form](#)

This is a momentous occasion as we meet you and your family for the first time as BGN students. The next time we will gather for a Mass like this will be 2031 when your child is at the end of Year 11. Therefore, it is vital that you can attend and we very much look forward to seeing you on this joyous occasion.

Yours sincerely

Sean Masterson
Headteacher

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